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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXXI No. 52

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR TUESDAY, March 13.

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES REPORTED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 18, Colo 39, Conn 3, Fla 63, Ida 124 com'l, 13 manf, Maine 430 com'l, 4 manf, Mich 23, Minn 160, Nebr 13, N H 2, Long Island 4, N Y 57, N Dak 230, Oreg 15 com'l, 4 manf, Rhode Island 1, Iowa 1, Mont 1, Nev 1, S Dak 3, Utah 1, Vt 2, Wash 1, Wis 9, Wyo 11, total US 1,213 com'l, 21 manf; Canada 34; unreported 12th Oreg 1, Canada 7. APPLES: Mass 1, Mo 3, N Y 4, Ohio 1, Oreg 6, Pa 1, Va 16 com'l, 8 Govt pur, Wash 164, W Va 3, com'l, 1 Govt pur, total US 199 com'l, 9 Govt pur; Canada 2. SNAP BEANS & LIMAS: Fla 36, total US 36. CABBAGE: Ala 2, Ariz 2, Calif 4, Fla 84, N Y 1, Tex 58 com'l, 7 manf, total US 151 com'l, 7 manf; unreported 12th Calif 1, Tex 3, total US 4. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 8, Calif 54, Fla 3, Tex 15, total US 80. Topped- Ariz 2, Calif 1, N Y 3 com'l, 2 manf, Tex 3, total US 9 com'l, 2 manf. CAULIFLOWER: Calif 58, total US 58; unreported 12th Calif 12. CELERY: Ariz 2, Calif 15, Fla 135, total US 152. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 14, Calif 5, Fla 46, Tex 99, total US 164. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 98, Phoenix Dist 60, Calif 48, Fla 1, total US 207; unreported 12th Ariz 11. MIXED CITRUS: Ariz 1, Calif 8, Fla 33 frt, 14 exp, Tex 36 frt, 4 exp, total US 78 frt, 18 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 27, Calif 34, Colo 8, Fla 62 frt, 4 exp, Ga 3, La 5, N Y 4, Tex 111, total US 154 frt, 4 exp; unreported 12th Calif 4. ONIONS: Calif 1, Colo 24, Ida 6 com'l, 2 manf, Ill 1, Mich 10, Minn 2, N Y 27, Ohio 1, Oreg 6 com'l, 1 manf, Utah 1, Wis 3, total US 82 com'l, 3 manf; deduct from 13th N Y 1. ORANGES: Calif 236, Fla 242, Tex 12, total US 490. PEARS: Calif 1, Oreg 10, Wash 3, total US 14; origin not specified 23. SPINACH: Tex 24, total US 24. SWEET POTATOES: Ala 1, Ga 1, Ky 1, La 26, N Jer 1, N C 1, Tenn 1, Tex 9, total US 41; unreported 12th La 8. STRAWBERRIES: La 23 exp, total US 23. TOMATOES: Fla 51, total US 51; Mexico 96. MISCELLANEOUS: Asparagus US 4 exp; Beets Tex 5 com'l, 1 manf, total US 6; Broccoli US 14; Cucumbers US 1; Escarole US 8; Grapes unreported 12th Origin not specified 4 exp; Greens US 10; Lemons US 41; Green Peas US 6; Peppers US 22; Mexico 9; Tangerines US 1; Turnips & Rutabagas Canada 5; unreported 12th Canada 1.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. March 14.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Idaho, 1 Colo; Apples - 1 Wash; Carrots - 1 Tex; Lettuce - 3 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Texas. Total Arrivals 9.  
DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Colo; Onions - 1 Colo. Total Diverted 2.  
UNLOADED: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 2 Ida, 1 N Dak; Apples - 2 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Onions - 1 Mich; Tomatoes - 1 Fla. Total Unloads 10.  
ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Ida, 1 Colo; Apples - 1 Wash; Carrots - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 3 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex. Total Track 11.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. March 13.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Fla, 3 Ida, 2 Maine, 4 Colo, 1 Oreg; Apples - 4 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Grapefruit - 2 Tex; Lemons - 4 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Onions - 2 Colo; Oranges - 2 Calif, 2 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Fla; Total Arrivals 31.  
DIVERTED: Lemons - 1 Calif. Total Diverted 1.  
UNLOADED: Potatoes - 1 Fla, 1 N Dak, 1 Oreg, 2 Ida, 6 Colo, 2 Maine, 1 Wash; Apples - 3 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Grapefruit - 2 Tex; Lemons - 1 Calif; Onions - 2 Colo; Oranges - 2 Tex, 3 Calif. Total Unloads 28.  
ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Ida, 2 Colo; Apples - 3 Wash; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Fla. Total Track 13.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR TUESDAY, March 13.

(PRICES ARE NOT NECESSARILY O.P.A. CEILING PRICES)

LETTUCE: Phoenix Dist- Min 54°, Max 62°, cloudy; Imperial Valley- Min 44°, Max 85°, partly cloudy. PHOENIX-IMPERIAL VALLEY- YUMA DISTRICTS. Demand very good, far exceeds supply, market strong at ceiling. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz, iced and dry \$3.25; top ice extra.

STRAWBERRIES: PLANT CITY, Fla. Warm, partly cloudy. Haulings light, demand moderate, market about steady. Yard sales, price to growers: Missionaries, per pint without crate, US No 1s, 20-23¢, mostly 20½¢.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 36°, Max 46°, partly cloudy. Offerings very light, moderate wire inquiry, demand good, market firm at ceiling. Distributor's delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, washed and unwashed, US No 1s size A \$2.79; US No 1s \$2.69; US No 2s and Utility grade \$2.39; size B few sales \$2.39; size A \$2.49.

DADE COUNTY SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand exceeds supply, market strong at ceiling. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Bliss Triumphs, washed, 50-lb paper sacks and bu crts, US No 1s size A \$2.13; US No 1s size B \$1.93; cotton sacks, US No 1s size A \$2.15; US No 1s size B \$1.95.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST & DANIA HALLANDALE SECTIONS. Haulings light, demand exceeds supply; prices unavailable until tomorrow.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Clear, warm. Haulings heavy, demand fair for large stock, practically no demand for small stock, market dull. 16-in crts, trimmed tops, individually washed and precooled, Golden Heart, 3 doz \$2.00-2.25, few \$2.35; 4 doz \$2.00-2.25; 6 doz \$1.90-2.10. Pascal type, few sales 3 doz and larger \$3.25-3.75; 4 doz \$3.00-3.25; smaller- no sales reported; precooling 10¢ extra. Many fair qlty shipments rolled unsold. Warmer weather than normal past month hurting quality.

LAKE OKEECHOBEE SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand very slow, market dull. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, individually washed and precooled, Golden Heart, few sales 3-4 doz \$1.90-2.25; 6 doz \$1.65-2.00; 8-10 doz- too few sales to quote; precooling 10¢ extra. Some shipments rolled unsold.

SNAP BEANS: LAKE OKEECHOBEE SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand fair, market about steady. Sales to local buyers, packing house stock: bu hmpers, Plentifuls \$3.10-3.25; fair qlty \$2.75; ordinary qlty \$2.55; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.25 few lower; Tendergreens \$3.25; fair qlty \$2.75; Bountifuls few \$2.45.

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LOCAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES. PRICES ARE NOT NECESSARILY OPA CEILING PRICES. (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable qlty and condition)

APPLES: BOXES: Wash Delicious, Ex Fcy & Fcy, med size \$4.40-4.47; C grade, med size \$4.25-4.47; Winesaps, Ex Fcy & Fcy, med size \$4.40-4.47; small \$4.00-4.25; Jonathans, Fcy & Ex Fcy, small \$3.75-4.25, very small \$3.50-4.00.  
ASPARAGUS: So. Tex per doz, 1-lb bnchs \$2.75-3.00

AVOCADOS: Calif flats, 24-35s \$6.25-7.00, few \$5.50.

BANANAS: Cent & So. Mex. per cwt \$6.90-7.35.

BEANS: Bu hmprr or bskt, Fla Black Valentines & Tex Tendergreens \$4.50-5.50; Limas \$6.00-6.50.

BEETS: Tex per doz bnchs mostly 75¢; Topped, bu sacks \$1.50-2.00, mostly \$1.50-1.75.

CABBAGE: 50-lb sacks Domestic round type, Texas \$1.00-1.25

CARROTS: Tex bunched per doz 40-50¢. Topped, 50-lb or bushel sacks, Tex \$1.75-2.00; Ariz. \$2.25-2.50.

CELERY: Fla 2½-4 doz wirebound crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart \$5.00-6.00, mostly \$5.00-5.50; Tex Pascal 2½-3½ doz \$4.50.

EGGPLANT: Per bu bskt or hmprr, Fla \$4.25-4.50.

GRAPEFRUIT: Tex WB boxes Marsh Seedless, medium size \$3.00-3.50, large \$2.25-3.00.

LEMONS: Calif boxes, 360s \$5.50-6.75, best mostly \$6.50-6.75, smaller \$5.25-6.00.

LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif & Ariz 4-5 doz best mostly \$5.25-5.35.

LIMES: Mexico 40-lb boxes \$7.00-7.50.

MUSTARD GREENS: Per doz bnchs 65-85¢.

ONIONS: Sweet Spanish, 50-lb sacks, US No 1s, 2-3 inches, Colo \$1.75-2.00; US Com'l \$1.50-1.65.

ONIONS: (Green) Tex per doz bnch 60-65¢.

ORANGES: Tex WB boxes Valencias, med to large \$4.50-4.75; Calif Navels, medium size \$5.50-5.55, small \$3.50-5.00.

PARSLEY: Tex doz bnch 60-75¢.

PARSNIPS: Minn bushel bskts \$5.25.

PEAS: Fla bu bskts \$3.00-3.25.

PEPPERS: Bell type, bushel bskts or hmprr, Fla \$4.50-5.00.

POTATOES: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size A \$3.15-3.30;

Tex bu bskts, US No 1s size A \$3.50;

Idaho 100-lb sacks Russets, Utility grade \$3.84; Colo McClures, culls, size A \$3.91; Eggsize \$3.60.

RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-60¢;

crt or bushel bskts 7 doz \$2.25-2.75.  
RUTABAGAS: 50-lb sacks Minn waxed and plain \$2.00-2.50.

SPINACH: Tex bu bskts mostly \$1.25-1.50.

SQUASH: Tex bu bskts or hmprrs, Yellow \$7.00-7.50.

SWEET POTATOES: La. and Tex Porto Ricans, US No 1s, bushel crts \$3.00-

3.25; Fcy \$3.50-3.70; bushel baskets generally good qlty \$2.85-3.00.

TOMATOES: Lugs, repacked, Fla 6 x 6s & larger mostly \$4.00, few \$3.50-3.75; Mexico 6 x 6s \$4.00-5.00.

TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-85¢.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 16 LEADING MARKETS

Potatoes Lett Onions Orgs Celery Apples Sweet Pot Gfruit Tomatoes

Wed Mar 14	631	350	57	282	244	142	31	209	99
Wed Mar 7	510	349	70	359	236	143	21	223	170

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

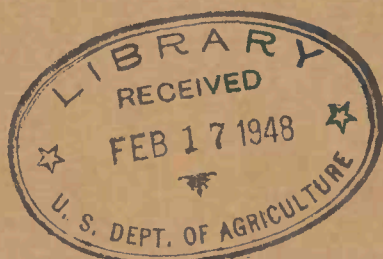
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POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO. Clear 38°; Max yest 60°. Old stock: Supplies rather light; for best stock demand moderate, market steady; for fair qlty stock demand slow, market dull. On track 147; arrived 23 Idaho, 1 Maine, 4 Minn, 7 Nebr, 10 N Dak, 6 N Y, 3 Wis, 1 Wyo; 4 Canada; diverted 35. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size A, unwashed, few jobbed \$3.72; Idaho Utility grade, 1½ inch min, few jobbed \$3.32; Nebr Bliss Triumphs, US Com'l, size A, unwashed, 1 car jobbed \$3.49; Minn & N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size A, unwashed, few jobbed \$3.13-3.16; unclassified, size A, unwashed, 1 car jobbed \$2.86 plus 5¢ per cwt procurement charge; Wis Chippewas, US No 1s size A, unwashed, 1 car \$3.07 plus \$25.00 procurement charge, 1 car jobbed \$3.19; Canada Red type; Canada No. 1, 1 car \$3.50. New stock: Supplies light, demand moderate, market firm at ceiling for best stock. On track 8; arrived 8 Fla. Street sales: 50-lb sacks, Fla Bliss Triumphs, washed and unwashed, US No 1s size A and US Commercial, size A \$2.66-2.70, some \$2.80; US No 1s size B \$2.54; bu crts, US No 1s size A, few \$2.89.

KANSAS CITY: Cloudy, 52°; Max 70°. Market steady. Old, on track 24; arrived 1 Colo, 6 Ida, 3 Minn, 3 Nebr, 10 N Dak, 2 Wyo; diverted 25. New, on track none, arrived none. Old stock: Late sales Mon- Carlot sales and carlot sales to outside points, Kansas City basis: Table stock, Nebr 100-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, unclassified \$3.04; US Commercial, unwashed \$3.24. New stock: No sales, market closed today.

Tues., March 13, 1945.  
2:00. LC

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Thurs., March 15, 1945

MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXXI No. 53

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR WEDNESDAY, March 14.

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES REPORTED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 9, Colo 29, Conn 2, Fla 70, Ida 105 com'l, 16 manf, Maine 394 com'l, 7 manf, Mass 2, Mich 26, Minn 155, Nebr 35, Long Island 2, N Y 38, N Dak 211, Oreg 27, Pa 4, Mont 1, S Dak 7, Utah 1, Vt 2, Wash 4, Wis 9, Wyo 11, total US 1144 com'l, 23 manf; Canada 53; unreported 13th Utah 1. APPLES: Calif 1, Ida 1, Ill 2, Md 1, Mich 5, Mo 1, Oreg 7, Pa 3, Va 20 com'l, 13 Govt purchases, Wash 162 com'l, 2 manf, W Va 3 com'l, 1 Govt pur, total US 206 com'l, 14 Govt pur, 2 manf; Canada 3. SNAP BEANS & LIMAS: Fla 38, total US 38. CABBAGE: Ala 1, Calif 6, Fla 82, N Y 2, Tex 65 com'l, 12 manf, total US 156 com'l, 12 manf. CARROTS: Bunched-- Ariz 7, Calif 43, Fla 3, Tex 9, total US 62. Topped- Ariz 2, Calif 1, Ill 1, Mich 3, N Y 3, Tex 15 com'l, 2 manf, Wash 1, total US 26 com'l, 2 manf. CAULIFLOWER: Calif 57, total US 57. CELERY: Ariz 4, Calif 28, Fla 128, total US 160. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 9, Calif 3, Fla 43, Tex 114, total US 169. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 107, Phoenix Dist 64, Calif 51, total US 222; unreported 13th Calif 9; deduct from 13th Cent Calif 9. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 6, Fla 27 frt, 21 exp, Tex 16 frt, 4 exp, total US 49 frt, 25 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 33, Calif 40, Colo 4, Fla 60 frt, 5 exp, Ga 1, La 2, Miss 1, Nev 1, Tex 107, total US 249 frt, 5 exp. ONIONS: Calif 4, Colo 16, Ida 2, Ill 2, Mich 16, Minn 1, N Y 21, Oreg 6 com'l, 1 manf, Utah 2, total US 70 com'l, 1 manf; Mexico 1. ORANGES: Ariz 5, Calif 209, Fla 260, Tex 18, total US 492. PEARS: Calif 3, Oreg 7, wash 2, total US 12; origin not specified 22. SPINACH: Tex 47, total US 47. STRAWBERRIES: Calif 1, La 14, N C 1, S C 6, Tenn 2, Tex 5, total US 29. TOMATOES: Fla 75, total US 75; Cuba 1. MISCELLANEOUS: Asparagus US 7 exp; Snap Beans & Limas US 38; Eggplant US 1; Escarole US 10; Grapes US 1; Greens Tex 1, total US 5; Lemons US 54 com'l, 3 manf; unreported 12th Calif 5. Mixed Deciduous Fruit origin not specified 1; Green Peas US 6; Peppers US 25; Tangerines US 1; Turnips & Rutabagas Canada 15.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. March 15.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Idaho; Apples - 1 Oreg, 1 Wash; Bananas - 7 Imports; Lettuce - 1 Ariz; Oranges - 2 Calif, 3 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Fla. Total Arrivals 18.

DIVERTED: Bananas - 2 Imports; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex. Total Diverted 3.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 3 Idaho; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 5 Imports; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 2 Calif. Total Unloads 12.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Ida, 1 Colo; Apples - 1 Oreg, 1 Wash; Carrots - 1 Tex; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 1 Calif; Oranges - 2 Calif, 3 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Fla. Total Track 14.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. March 14.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 4 Fla, 2 Colo, 2 Ida; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Grapefruit 1 Tex; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif, 2 Ariz; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Colo; Oranges - 2 Calif, 2 Tex; Peppers - 1 Mexico; Tomatoes - 2 Fla; Total Arrivals 22.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Colo; Apples - 1 Wash; Lemons - 2 Calif;

Lettuce - 1 Ariz; Oranges - 1 Calif. Total Diverted 6.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Fla, 4 Ida, 3 Colo; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lettuce - 2 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Texas; Peppers - 1 Mexico; Tomatoes - 3 Fla. Total Unloads 21.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Fla; Apples - 2 Wash; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 1 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Colo; Oranges - 1 Tex. Total Track 8.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR WEDNESDAY, March 14.  
(PRICES ARE NOT NECESSARILY OPA CEILING PRICES)

LETTUCE: PHOENIX DIST, Ariz. Min 51°; Max 67°, partly cloudy. Imperial Valley Min 67°; Max 80°, clear. PHOENIX-YUMA-IMPERIAL VALLEY: Demand very good, far exceeds supply, market strong at ceiling. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz mostly \$3.25, some \$3.39; top ice extra.

STRAWBERRIES: PLANT CITY, Fla. Warm, partly cloudy. Haulings very light, demand moderate, market firm. Yard sales, price to growers, Missionaries, US No 1s, per pint without crate 20-24¢, mostly 21 1/8¢.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 33°; Max 43°, rained and snowed during the day Wednesday, clear afternoon. Offerings very light, moderate wire inquiry, demand good, market firm at ceiling. Distributor's delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, washed and unwashed, US No 1s size A \$2.79; US No 1s \$2.69; US No 2s and Utility grade \$2.39; size B few sales \$2.39; size A \$2.49.

DADE COUNTY SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand exceeds supply, market strong at ceiling. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Bliss Triumphs, washed, 50-lb paper sacks and bu crts, US No 1s size A \$2.13; US No 1s size B \$1.93; cotton sacks, US No 1s size A \$2.15; US No 1s size B \$1.95.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand exceeds supply, market strong. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, US No 1s, 6 x 6s and larger \$4.50; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.25; 7 x 7s \$3.50.

DANIA HALLANDALE SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand exceeds supply, market strong. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, wrapped, 6 x 6s \$4.50-4.75; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.25; 7 x 7s \$3.50.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Partly cloudy, warm. Haulings heavy, demand very slow, market dull. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, individually washed and precooled, Golden Heart, 2 1/4 doz \$2.00-2.25, few higher, mostly \$2.15-2.25; 6 doz \$1.90-2.00; 8 doz few \$1.50-1.65; Pascal type, few sales 4 doz and larger \$3.00-3.50, mostly around \$3.25; 6-10 doz - no sales reported. Precooling 10¢ extra. Many shipments rolled unsold.

LAKE OKEECHOBEE SECTION. Haulings moderate, demand slow, market dull to weak. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, indiv. washed & precooled, Golden Heart, few sales 3-4 doz \$1.65-2.25, mostly \$1.90-2.25; 6 doz \$1.50-1.90, mostly \$1.50-1.75. Precooling 10¢ extra. Many shipments rolled unsold. SNAP BEANS: LAKE OKEECHOBEE SECTION, Fla. Haulings light; for Stringless Black Valentines and Tendergreens demand good, market strong; for other stock demand fair; market weaker. Sales to local buyers, packinghouse stock: Bu hmpers, Plentifuls, mostly fair qty \$2.00-2.50; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.25; Tendergreen best \$3.25, poorer \$3.00-3.05. (over)



LOCAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES. PRICES ARE NOT NECESSARILY OPA CEILING PRICES. (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable qty and condition)

**APPLES:** BOXES: Wash Delicious, Ex Fcy & Fcy, med size \$4.40-4.47; C grade, med size \$4.25-4.47; Winesaps, Ex Fcy & Fcy, med size \$4.40-4.47; small \$4.00-4.25; Jonathans, Fcy & Ex Fcy, small \$4.00-4.25; Jonathans Fcy & Ex Fcy, small \$3.75-4.25, very small \$3.50-4.00; Newtowns, Ex Fcy & Fcy, med size \$4.40-4.47.  
**AVOCADOS:** Calif flats, 24-35s \$6.25-6.75.  
**BANANAS:** Cent & So. Mex. per cwt \$6.90-7.35.  
**BEANS:** Bu hmp. or bskt, Fla Black Valentines & Tex Tendergreens mostly \$4.50-5.00.  
**BEETS:** Tex per doz bnchs mostly 75¢; Topped, bu sacks \$1.50-2.00, mostly \$1.50-1.75.  
**CABBAGE:** 50-lb sacks, Domestic round type, Tex \$1.00-1.25.  
**CARROTS:** Tex bunched per doz 40-50¢; Topped, 50-lb or bushel sacks, Tex \$1.75-2.00.  
**CELERY:** Fla 21-4 doz wirebound crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart \$5.00-6.00, mostly \$5.00-5.50; Tex Pascal 21-31 doz \$4.50.  
**EGGPLANT:** Per bu bskt or hmp. Fla \$4.25-4.50.  
**GRAPEFRUIT:** Tex WB boxes Marsh Seedless, medium size \$3.00-3.50, mostly \$3.25-3.35.  
**LEMONS:** Calif boxes 360s \$5.50-6.75, best mostly \$6.50-6.75, smaller \$5.25-6.00.  
**LETTUCE:** L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif & Ariz 4-5 doz best mostly \$5.25-5.35.  
**LIMES:** Mexico 40-lb boxes \$7.00-7.50.  
**MUSTARD GREENS:** Per doz bnchs 65-85¢.

**ONIONS:** Sweet Spanish, 50-lb. sacks, US No. 1s, 2-3 inches, Colo \$1.75-2.00; US Com'l \$1.50-1.65.  
**ONIONS:** (Green) Tex per doz bnch 60-65¢.  
**ORANGES:** Tex WB boxes Valencias, med to large \$4.50-4.75; Calif Navel, medium size \$5.50-5.55, smaller lower.  
**PARSLEY:** Tex doz bnch 60-75¢.  
**PARSNIPS:** Minn bushel bskts \$5.25.  
**PEPPERS:** Bell type, bushel bskts or hmp. Fla \$4.50-5.00; Mexico boxes \$6.00-6.92.  
**POTATOES:** Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size A \$3.15-3.30; Idaho 100-lb sacks Russets, Utility grade \$3.84; Colo McClures, culls, size A \$3.91; Eggsize \$3.60.  
**RADISHES:** Tex per doz bnch 40-60¢; crts or bushel bskts 7 doz \$2.25-2.75.  
**RUTABAGAS:** 50-lb sacks Minn waxed and plain \$2.00-2.50.  
**SPINACH:** Tex bu bskts mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
**SQUASH:** Tex bu bskts or hmp. Yellow \$7.00-7.50.  
**SWEET POTATOES:** La. and Tex Porto Ricans, US No 1s, bushel crts \$3.00-3.25; Fcy \$3.50-3.70; bushel baskets generally good qty \$2.85-3.00.  
**TOMATOES:** Lugs, repacked, Fla 6 x 6s & larger mostly \$4.00, few \$3.50-3.75, few best \$4.25-4.50; Mexico 6 x 6s \$4.00-5.00.  
**TURNIPS:** Tex per doz bnchs 75-85¢.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 16 LEADING MARKETS

	Potatoes	Lett	Onions	Orgs	Celery	Apples	Sweet Pot	Gfruit	Tomatoes
Thurs Mar 15	546	292	61	225	213	123	44	143	102
Thurs Mar 8	478	354	62	339	224	129	21	201	154

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS  
(PRICES ARE NOT NECESSARILY OPA CEILING PRICES.)

**POTATO MARKETS:** CHICAGO. Cloudy, 51°; Max yest 71°. Old stock: Supplies rather light; for best stock demand moderate, market steady; for fair qty stock demand slow, market dull, slightly weaker feeling prevailing. On track 130; arrived 11 Colo, 28 Ida, 2 Maine, 1 Mich, 4 Nebr, 18 N Dak, 1 N Y, 1 Wyo, 4 Wis; 7 Canada; diverted 33. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size A, unwashed, few jobbed \$3.72; Idaho Utility grade size A, few jobbed \$3.42; Idaho Utility grade, 1 1/2 inch min, very few sales jobbed \$3.32; Nebr Bliss Triumphs, US Commercial size A, unwashed, 1 car jobbed \$3.49; Minn & N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, US Commercial size A, unwashed \$3.06, 1 car jobbed \$3.18, fair qty- no sales reported; N Y Katahdins, US No 1s size A, unwashed, 1 car showing some decay \$3.00. Offerings other sections- no sales reported. New stock: Supplies light, demand good, market firm at ceiling. On track 4; arrived 4 Fla. Street sales: 50-lb sacks Fla Bliss Triumphs, washed and unwashed, US No 1s size A and US Commercial size A \$2.67-2.73, few sales to retailers \$2.87, B size \$2.54.  
**KANSAS CITY:** Raining 55°; Max yest 70°. Market steady at ceiling. On stock: On track 16; arrived 1 Colo, 8 Ida, 10 Minn, 2 Nebr, 7 N Dak; diverted 27. New stock: On track 3; arrived 3 Fla. Late sales wed- carlot sales and carlot sales to outside points, Kansas City basis: Very few sales, table stock, Colo 100-lb sacks Red McClures, No 3s, 1 car \$2.95; eggsize, 1 car \$2.85; Nebr 100-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, unclassified, unwashed \$3.04. Seed stock: Minn and N Dak 100-lb sacks Cobblers and Bliss Triumphs, certified \$4.17; war approved \$3.67. New stock: Market steady. Sales on the wholesale market: Fla paper and cotton 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, washed, US No 1s \$3.00-3.06; US No 1s size B \$2.80-2.90.  
 Thurs. March 15, 1945. 2:30. LC  
 Ralph G. Risser  
 Local Representative





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ESTIMATED MERCHANTABLE STOCKS OF POTATOES HELD BY GROWERS & LOCAL DEALERS,  
MARCH 1 WITH COMPARISONS

STATE:	1945 (Bushels)	1944* (Bushels)	1943*
Maine	20,050,000	20,400,000	14,200,000
Minnesota	2,500,000	5,000,000	2,900,000
N. Dakota	5,250,000	5,700,000	3,100,000
Nebraska	5,500,000	2,500,000	1,650,000
Idaho	6,250,000	8,500,000	5,000,000
Colorado	2,800,000	3,500,000	2,800,000
California, Late	300,000	1,000,000	800,000
Oregon	1,300,000	2,350,000	1,150,000
18 Surplus Late States	52,950,000	70,680,000	43,150,000
12 Other Late States	2,200,000	3,800,000	2,800,000
37 Late & Intermediate	55,350,000	74,980,000	46,350,000

\* Figures for 1943 and 1944 are revised.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR THURSDAY, March 15.

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES REPORTED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 7, Colo 50, Conn 5, Fla 76, Ida 88 com'1, 16 manf, Maine 410 com'1, 4 manf, Mass 3, Mich 28, Minn 140, Mont 4, Nebr 15, N Y 47, N Dak 203, Oreg 28, Pa 2, S Dak 1, Tex 1, Utah 2, Wash 3, Wis 11, Wyo 6, total US 1132 com'1, 20 manf; Canada 59; unreported 14th Colo 11, Idaho 4, total 15; Canada 1; unreported 9th Wyo 2; unreported 8th Wyo 1; deduct from 15th Canada 6.  
APPLES: Calif 1, Colo 1, Dela 2, Ida 1, Ill 1, Mich 5, N Y 4, Oreg 3, Pa 1, Utah 1, Va 14 com'1, 12 Govt pur, Wash 129, W Va 2, total US 165 com'1, 12 Govt pur; Canada 2. SNAP BEANS & LIMAS: Fla 31, total US 31. CABBAGE: Ala 1, Ariz 3, Calif 4, Fla 114, La 3, N Y 1, Tex 78 com'1, 17 manf, total US 205, 17 manf.  
CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 9, Calif 46, Fla 4, Tex 14, total US 73. Topped- Ariz 2, Calif 2, Mich 1, N Y 5 com'1, 1 manf, Tex 22 com'1, 7 Govt pur, total US 32 com'1, 1 manf, 7 Govt pur. CELERY: Ariz 1, Calif 15, Fla 119, total US 135. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 6, Calif 4, Fla 32, Tex 103, total US 145. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 97, Phoenix Dist 90, Calif 46, Fla 1, total US 234. MIXED CITRUS: Ariz 1, Calif 7, Fla 36 frt, 19 exp, Tex 19 frt, 4 exp, total US 63 frt, 23 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 29, Calif 44, Colo 2, Fla 71 frt, 5 exp, Ga 2, La 8, Miss 1, Tex 105, total US 262 frt, 5 exp; Mexico 3; deduct from 14th Calif 1. ONIONS: Calif 2, Colo 17, Ida 5, Mich 10, N Y 19, Ohio 2, Oreg 10 com'1, 1 manf, Utah 1, total US 67 com'1, 1 manf; Mexico 1. ORANGES: Ariz 3, Calif 172, Fla 315, Tex 15, total US 505. PEARS: Calif 2, Oreg 10, Wash 1, total US 13; Origin not specified 11. SPINACH: Tex 41 frt, 1 exp, Va 1, total US 42 frt, 1 exp. STRAWBERRIES: Fla 16 exp, total US 16. SWEET POTATOES: La 20, N Jer 2, N C 1, S C 1, Tex 3, total US 27. TOMATOES: Fla 78, total US 78; Mexico 60. CAULIFLOWER: Calif 58, Fla 1, total US 59; unreported 14th Calif 1. MISCELLANEOUS: Asparagus US 7 exp; Beets Tex 4, total US 4; Broccoli US 19; Cucumbers US 1; Escarole US 10; Greens US 6; Lemons US 58 com'1, 1 manf; Mixed Deciduous Fruit US 2; origin not specified 1; Green Peas US 6; Peppers US 21; Mexico 5; Tangerines US 3; Turnips & Rutabagas Canada 22; deduct from 14th Canada 1.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. March 16.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Idaho; Apples - 3 Wash; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Tex; Chili Peppers - 1 Mexico; Tomatoes - 1 Fla; Peanuts - 1 Texas. Total Arrivals 10.

DIVERTED: Oranges - 1 Calif. Total Diverted 1.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 1 Colo; Apples - 1 Wash; Carrots - 1 Tex; Lettuce 1 Ariz; Oranges - 3 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Fla; Peanuts - 1 Tex. Total Unloads 9.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Ida; Apples - 1 Oreg, 3 Wash; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 2 Calif, 1 Tex; Chili Peppers - 1 Mexico; Tomatoes - 1 Florida. Total Track 14.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. March 15.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 7 Ida, 5 Fla; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 10 Import Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 3 Tex; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 2 Ariz; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Colo; Oranges - 3 Tex, 2 Calif; Peppers - 1 Mexico; Turnips & Rutabagas - 1 Canada. Total Arrivals 41.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Fla; Lemons - 2 Calif. Total Diverted 3.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 5 Fla, 4 Ida; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 2 Imports Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 2 Tex; Lettuce - 2 Ariz; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Colo; Oranges - 2 Tex, 2 Calif; Turnips & Rutabagas - 1 Canada. Total Unloads 25.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 1 Fla, 3 Ida; Apples - 3 Wash; Bananas - 8 Imports Grapefruit - 2 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Colo; Oranges - 2 Tex; Peppers - 1 Mexico Total Track 21.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR THURSDAY, March 15.

LETTUCE: PHOENIX DIST. Ariz. Min 53°; Max 65°, cloudy, scattered showers; Imperial Valley Min 51°; Max 76°, partly cloudy, strong wind. PHOENIX-YUMA IMPERIAL VALLEY: Demand very good, far exceeds supply, market strong at ceiling. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz mostly \$3.25, some \$3.39; top ice extra.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 24°, Max 42°, clear. Offerings very light, moderate wire inquiry, demand good for best stock, demand slow for small stock, market firm at ceiling. Distributor's delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size A, washed and unwashed \$2.79, US No 1s \$2.69; US No 2s and Utility grade \$2.39; size B, few sales \$2.39; size A \$2.49

DADE COUNTY SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand exceeds supply, market strong at ceiling. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Bliss Triumphs, washed, 50-lb paper sacks and bu crts, US No 1s size A \$2.13; US No 1s size B \$1.93; cotton sacks, US No 1s size A \$2.15; US No 1s size B \$1.90-1.95. CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Partly cloudy, warm. Haulings heavy, demand very slow; Golden Heart market dull; Pascal market dull and weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, individually washed and precooled, Golden Heart, 2 1/2-4 doz \$2.00-2.25; 6 doz \$1.75-2.00; 8 doz \$1.50-1.75; 10 doz few \$1.50; Pascal type, 3 doz and larger \$2.85-3.25; 4 doz \$2.50-3.00; 6 doz few \$2.50; 8-10 doz few \$2.00; precooling 10¢ extra. Many shipments rolled unsold.

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LOCAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES. PRICES ARE NOT NECESSARILY OPA CEILING PRICES. (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

**APPLES:** BOXES: Wash Delicious, Ex Fcy & Fcy, med size \$4.40-4.47; C grade, med size \$4.25-4.47; Winesaps, Ex Fcy & Fcy, med size \$4.40-4.47; small \$4.00-4.25; Jonathans, Fcy & Ex Fcy, small \$4.00-4.25; Jonathans, Fcy & Ex Fcy, small \$3.75-4.25, very small \$3.50-4.00; Newtowns, Ex Fcy & Fcy, med size \$4.40-4.47.  
**AVOCADOS:** Calif flats, 24-35s \$6.25-6.75, some \$5.50.  
**BANANAS:** So. Mex. per cwt \$6.50; Central Amer. \$6.90-7.35.  
**BEANS:** Bu hmp or bskt Fla Black Valentines & Tex Tendergreens \$4.50-5.00.  
**BEETS:** Tex per doz bnchs 70-75¢; Topped, bu sacks \$1.50-2.00, mostly \$1.50-1.75.  
**CABBAGE:** 50-lb sacks, Domestic round type, Tex \$1.00-1.25.  
**CARROTS:** Tex bunched per doz 40-50¢. Topped, 50-lb or bu sacks, Tex \$1.75-2.00.  
**CELERY:** Fla 24-4 doz wirebound crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart \$5.00-6.00, mostly \$5.00-5.50; Tex Pascal 24-31 doz \$4.50-5.00.  
**EGGPLANT:** Per bu bskt or hmp, Fla \$4.25-4.50; Tex \$3.75-4.00.  
**GRAPEFRUIT:** Tex WB boxes Marsh Seedless, medium size \$3.00-3.50, mostly \$3.25-3.35.  
**LEMONS:** Calif boxes 360s \$5.50-6.75, best mostly \$6.50-6.75, smaller \$5.25-6.00.  
**LETTUCE:** L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif & Ariz, 4-5 doz best mostly \$5.25-5.35.  
**LIMES:** Mexico 40-lb boxes \$7.00-7.50.  
**MUSTARD GREENS:** Per doz bnchs 75-90¢.

**ONIONS:** Sweet Spanish, 50-lb sacks, US No 1s, 2-3 inches, Colo \$1.75-2.00; Mex. white Bermudas, 100-lb sacks \$7.50.  
**ONIONS, GREEN:** Tex per doz bnch 60-65¢.  
**ORANGES:** Tex WB boxes Valencias, med to large \$4.50-4.75; Calif Navels, medium size \$5.50-5.55, smaller lower.  
**PARSLEY:** Tex doz bnch 60-75¢.  
**PARSNIPS:** Minn bushel bskts \$5.25.  
**PEPPERS:** Bell type, bu bskts or hmprs, Fla & Tex \$4.00-4.75; Mexico boxes \$6.50-6.92.  
**POTATOES:** Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size A \$3.15-3.30; Idaho 100-lb sacks Russets, Utility grade \$3.84; Colo McClures, culls, size A \$3.91; Eggsize \$3.60.  
**RADISHES:** Tex per doz bnch 40-60¢; crts or bushel bskts 7 doz \$2.25-2.75.  
**RUTABAGAS:** 50-lb sacks Minn waxed and plain \$2.00-2.50.  
**SPINACH:** Tex bu bskts mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
**SQUASH:** Tex bu bskts or hmprs, Yellow \$7.50-8.00, white \$7.50-9.00.  
**STRAWBERRIES:** La. Klondikes, 24-pint crates \$8.19-8.25.  
**SWEET POTATOES:** La. & Tex Porto Ricans, US No 1s, bushel crts \$3.00-3.25; Fcy \$3.50-3.70; bushel baskets, generally good qty \$2.85-3.00.  
**TOMATOES:** Lugs, repacked, Fla 6 x 6s & larger mostly \$4.25, few best \$4.50; Mexico 6 x 6s \$4.50-5.00.  
**TURNIPS:** Tex per doz bnchs 75-85¢.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 16 LEADING MARKETS

Potatoes Lett Onions Orgs Celery Apples Sweet Pot Gfruit Tomatoes

Fri Mar 16	503	269	59	208	191	136	33	132	81
Fri Mar 9	477	323	62	291	200	138	24	188	145

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

(PRICES ARE NOT NECESSARILY OPA CEILING PRICES)

**POTATO MARKETS:** CHICAGO, Ill. Cloudy, 50°; Max yest 69°. Supplies light; for best stock demand moderate, market steady. On track 104; Colo 6, Idaho 20, Maine 3, Mich 1, Minn 3, Nebr 1, N Y 1, N Dak 7, Wis 1, Wyo 1; Canada 3; diverted 35. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size A, unwashed, few jobbed \$3.72; Idaho Utility grade, 2-2 1/2 inches, unwashed, few jobbed \$3.32; N Y Katahdins, US No 1s size A, unwashed, 1 car showing some decay \$3.00; Minn and N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs; US Commercial size A, unwashed, few sales \$2.95-3.07, few jobbed \$3.17-3.18; Canada, 75-lb sacks Round Whites, Canada No. 1, unwashed \$3.60 per cwt. New stock: Supplies light, demand good, market firm at ceiling. On track 3; arrived 4 Fla. Street sales: 50-lb sacks Fla Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size A and US Commercial, size A, washed and unwashed \$2.66-2.70; size B \$2.59.

**KANSAS CITY:** Partly cloudy 57°; Max yest 64°. MARKET steady at ceiling. Old, on track 13; arrived 1 Colo, 1 Ida, 2 Minn, 7 Nebr, 7 N Dak, 1 Maine, 1 Oreg; diverted 21. New on track 4; arrived 3 Fla. Old stock: Late sales Thurs, early sales Fri- carlot sales and carlot sales to outside points, Kansas City basis: Table stock, Colo 100-lb sacks Red McClures, egg size, 1 car \$2.85; N Dak mixed car, 100-lb sacks Cobblers US No 1s and Bliss Triumphs US No 1s \$3.21; 100-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US Commercial, unwashed \$3.12; Nebr Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s, unwashed, 1 car \$3.34; unclassified, unwashed \$3.04; close rollers, Canada 75-lb sacks, Green Mountains, Canada No. 1 \$3.90-3.95 per cwt. Seed stock- many deliveries at ceiling prices. New stock: Market steady. Sales on the whole-sale market: Fla paper and cotton sacks, 50-lb sacks, washed, Bliss Triumphs, \$3.00-3.05; US No 1s size B \$2.80.  
 Fri., March 16, 1945.  
 2:25. LC

Ralph G. Risser  
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